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Applicant:

Mikael NORDENFELT, et al.

Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ABSOLUTE OPTICAL

ENCODERS WITH REDUCED SENSITIVITY TO SCALE OR

DISK MOUNTING ERRORS

Attorney Docket:

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AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. §1.116

Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the aboveidentified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	23	•	27	=	0
Independent	3	•	3	=	0